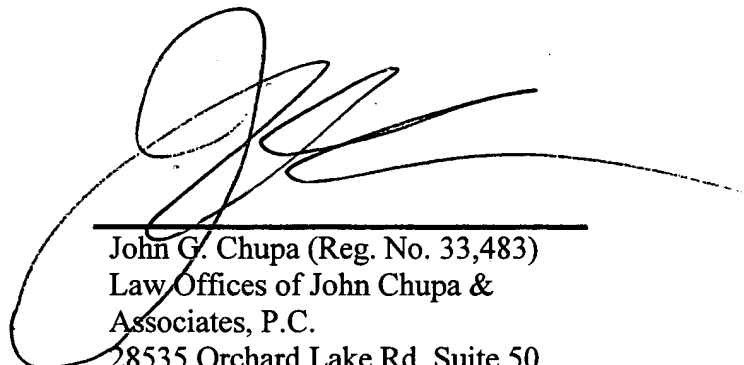


Remarks/Arguments

The undersigned thanks the Examiner for a kind and thorough examination. Pending Claims 23-26 have been canceled, and the Examiner's kind offer of allowance of pending Claim 12 is accepted. If there are any further questions regarding this matter, please call the Applicant's undersigned Attorney at (248)-324-7787.

Respectfully submitted,



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